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# POWER OF ATTORNEY BY ASSIGNEE OF ENTIRE INTEREST (REVOCATION OF PRIOR POWERS)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

As assignee of record of the entire interest of the above identified application,

#### REVOCATION OF PRIOR POWERS OF ATTORNEY

all powers of attorney previously given are hereby revoked and

#### **NEW POWER OF ATTORNEY**

all practitioners associated with the following Customer Number are hereby appointed to prosecute and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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### Assignee:

Advanced Stent Technologies, Inc. 6900 Koll Center Parkway, Suite 415 Pleasanton, California 94566

Recorded in PTO on:

**NONE** 

Reel/Frame:

**NONE** 

#### ASSIGNEE STATEMENT

Attached to this power is a "STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. section 3.73(b)."

Date: ALCUST 15, 2003

Signature for Assignee

Merrill E. Weber, President

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### STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. section 3.73(b) ESTABLISHING RIGHT OF ASSIGNEE TO TAKE ACTION

1. The assignee(s) of the entire right, title and interest hereby seek(s) to take action in the PTO in this matter.

#### **IDENTIFICATION OF ASSIGNEE**

2. Name of assignee:

Advanced Stent Technologies, Inc.

Type of assignee:

Corporation

#### PERSON AUTHORIZED TO SIGN

3. Name of person authorized to sign on behalf of assignee: Merrill Weber Title of person authorized to sign: Vice President, Corporate Affairs

I, the person signing below, state that I am empowered to sign this statement on behalf of the assignee.

#### **BASIS OF ASSIGNEE (S) INTEREST**

4. Ownership by the assignee is established as follows: A chain of title from Merrill Weber to Advanced Stent Technologies, Inc.

#### COPIES OF DOCUMENTS IN CHAIN OF TITLE

5. Copies of the assignment(s) or other document(s) in the chain of title are attached as follows:

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